O'Dowd to Do With His Middleweight Crown What Jess Willard Only Talked About Dong With His Heavyweight

(The New York Evening World.)
KE O'DOWD, who claims the iddleweight champtonship, can a fight for his title if he Mike can do what Jess Willard talked about doing a week or

willard talked about doing a week or so ago. He can fight "for the Red Cross." Here is a telegram from Billy Armstrong of Camp Hancock:
Robert Edgren, The Evening World, New York.

Jackie Clark, Pennsylvania middleweight, stationed here with 198th Machine Gun Battalion, has authorised me to challenge Mike O'Dowd to a meeting for the middleweight championship, for the benefit of the Red Cross. Clark has boxed Tom Gibbons, Jeff Bmith and received a twenty-round newspaper decision over Harry Grebb of Pittsburgh. As I am convinced of Clark's absolute sincerity, I have secured his comsincerity, I have secured his com manding officer's consent.

BILLY ARMSTRONG. Boxing Director, Camp Hancock.

T TAKING up this challenge O'Dowd will place himself in a class a little ahead of Jess Williard. who made a proposition and then qualified it by adding abourd condi-tions that turned it into a joke.

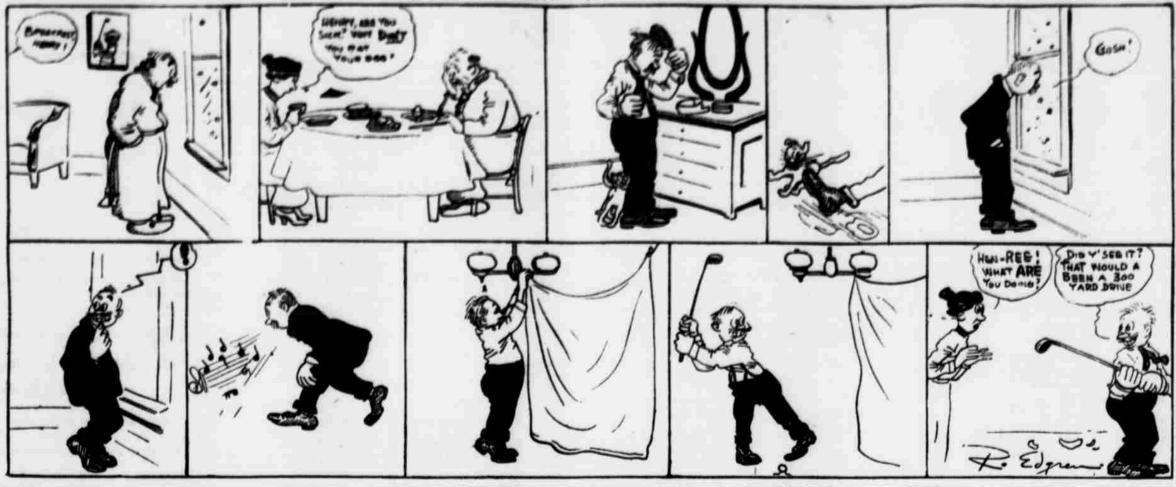
WILLIAM A. RAFTER, in the been making a splendid fight for the renewing of boxing in New York State. He has obtained letters from hundreds of the most prominent men in the country, all enthusiastically favoring the sport and commending his effort. This sweeping indersement will be placed before the Legislature in January. In January.

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and the War Department itself has seen fit to announce through the Commission on Training Camp Activities that every soldier must become a skilled boxer to fit himself for effective bayonet fighting. With the ever values of boxing so clearly outlined by the Government, there is no excuse for storpies boxing the second of the contract of the contrac Commission on Training Camp Activities that every soldier must become a skilled boxer to fit himself for effective bayonet fighting. With the syar values of boxing so clearly outlined by the Government, there is no excuse for stopping boxing exhibitions and contests in one of our most important States. Killing Doxing is directly contrary to the interests of the Government. Instead, boxing is about at once be legalized in overy State in the country, and encouraged as much as possible during the war, and perhaps afterward. Boxing is no multipoddle sport. It's a sport for multipoddle sport sport

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BEST SPORTING PAGE IN NEW YORK PUTTING 'EM OVER HOW TO BE HAPPY THOUGH SNOWBOLLDED



College Athletic Policies For Next Spring Will Be Shaped Here This Week

Brooklyn Standard Union, has making a splendid fight for the reng of boxing in New York State.

Which War-Time Schedules army training camps, will be the chief the specific of discussion. Will Be Adopted, Are on

THE National Collegiate Athletic Association will meet here on There is little doubt that the State Legislature will pass a boxing bill quickly, knowing the overwhelming public interest in boxing and the public indignation over the manner in which the Frawley Law was knocked down and dragged out. Hundreds of thousands of men in the army training camps are being trained in boxing. In its special convention in Washingand the War Department itself has seen fit to announce through the would probably have come to an end

Offers \$75,000 for Willard-Fulton Bout At Little Rock, Ark., to Take Place in March

The following telegram was received at this office to-day: Robert Edgren, Sporting Editor, Evening World: LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Dec. 26 .- Please notify Jess Willard and if possible sign him up to box Fred Fulton twenty rounds at Little Rock, Ark., any time between March 1 to 15. I will offer \$75,000

for the match. I witnessed the Fulton-Tate fight here yesterday and will bet Jess Willard \$10,000 Fulton knocks him out inside of

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The Father and Son tourney idea, the doubles, the popular in local golf circles, will soon be introduced into tennis. The plan has been launched at the Seventh Regiment Armory.

It is pointed out that the skill shown by the youngsters in the National Junior and Boys' champions will be shown by the youngsters in the National Junior and Boys' champions will be shown by the youngsters in the National Junior and Boys' champions will be shown by the youngsters in the National Junior and Boys' champions will be shown by the youngsters in the National Junior and Boys' champions will be shown by the youngsters in the National Junior and Boys' champions will be shown by the youngsters in the National Junior and Boys' champions will be shown by the youngsters in the National Junior and Boys' champions will be shown by the youngsters in the National Junior and Boys' champions will be shown by the youngsters in the National Junior and Boys' champions will be shown by the youngsters in the National Junior and Boys' champions will be shown by the youngsters in the National Junior and Boys' champions will be shown by the youngsters in the National Junior and Boys' champions will be shown by the youngsters in the National Junior and Boys' champions will be shown by the youngsters in the National Junior and Boys' champions will be shown by the youngsters in the National Junior and Boys' champions will be shown by the youngsters in the National Junior and Boys' champions will be shown by the youngsters in the National Junior and Boys' champions will be shown by the youngsters in the National Junior and Boys' champions will be shown by the youngsters in the National Junior and Boys' champions will be shown by the youngsters in the National Market Policy of the St

Meeting in Chicago on

Western Golf Association May Not Hold Tourney For Title Next Season

An Age Limit Affair May Be and when Tate followed this up with a stinging left jab Fulton sent his opponent down with a blow so low that the referee offered to give the

that the referee offered to give the fight to Tate.

Billy McCarney refused to accept the bout on a foul, so that Tate was allowed five minutes to recover.

They finally went into a clinch and Fulton fairly picked his opponent up and tossed him through the ropes, Tate falling with a crash to the floor.

At this the referee disqualified Fulton, and, as said before, the crowd cheered and would not listen to the big plasterer when the tried to make a speech from the ring.

Tate's back and head were slightly injured by the fail.

Fight Results

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 26.—Paul Doyle of New York scored an easy victory over Joe Welch of this city in their six-round bout at the National A. C. Doyle sent his opponent to the mat four times during the progress of the bout, three knockdowns coming in the first round and the other in the last round.

PHILADELPHIA. Dec. 28.—Johnny Tillman defeated Irish Patay Cline in a fast six-round bout at the Olympia A. A.

Strangler Lewis Deserves Credit for His Head Lock, He Was One Man Who Could Do Something With a Wrestler's Head,"

By Arthur ("Bugs") Baer.

The New York E-coling World. Public won't care to lamp Willard in ten rounds and no decision. They'd sather see ten decisions and no

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Trading Alex from Philly to Chi-nago doesn't benefit St. Looey. He locan't throw that fast one with his

Strange thing about athletics is that all our greatest achletes are physically unable to serve in the army. Examining physicians generally discover some defect that cancels their chances for packing a gun. Here are a few instances from each major branch of American sport.

Famous baseball player had flat arches of the pocketbook and a one-hundred trip commutation ticket that only had thirty-six punches in it. Naturally he was exempted until he could get the commutation ticket all punched out. Besides that he was terribly freckled.

Well known golfer was willing to enlist but couldn't get along with only one style of musket. He wanted a niblick musket, a brassic gun, a midiron Winchester and a putter Remington. In addition, they wouldn't waive that rule about using a canteen exclusively to carry water in. All bets were off.

Premier football player would have enlisted only it would have ruined his athletic career. Taking thirty dollars a month from Uncle Sam would have made him a professional. And the A. A. U. is terribly strict.

One of the leading wrestlers of America desired to enlist in the navy, but they found that they didn't have a battleship to fit his

The champion heavyweight of the U. S. was all set to mallop to the fray, provided that the Kaiser would make his weight.

So you can see the difficulties that arise whenever an athlete tries to horn into the service.

MANY POLICE WITHOUT: BUT NONE SAW BOUTS.

side the doors of the Clympic A. C. at its opening show under the memberltis opening show under the membership pian, none entered. Inside it was fike ye olde times. The pince was packed. Eddie Kelly stopped New York Dick Hyiand in two rounds. Tommy Geary and J. O'Daly drew in six rounds. Charley Havigan. Assemblyman for the Thirteenth District, in which the little club is situated, got into the ring and told the faithful that he intended to go back to Albany to make a fight for legalized boxing.

Pappas Scores Easy Victory. Jimmie Pappas, the Greek bentam weight, gave "Little Bear" a terrific beating here in a ten-round bout, the bell saving "Little Bear" twice. Pappas

